



OFFICE OF WATER QUALITY

DRINKING WATER BRANCH – PERMITS, CERTIFICATION & CAPACITY SECTION

WATER WORKS OPERATOR CERTIFICATION EXAM ANNOUNCEMENT

Next examination: May 16, 2003

Application Deadline: April 1, 2003

Location: Indiana Government Center South Conference Center
(Indianapolis and a North-Central location to be announced)

Application Fee: \$30.00 (nonrefundable)
Per certification grade requested

Requirements: Must meet all the following

A) Education: All grades require a minimum of high school or its equivalent

B) Experience: Hands-on operation in the class system applied for, as follows:

DSS - 1 year
DSM - 1 year
DSL - 1 year
WT 1 - 1 year
WT 2 - 1 year
WT 3 - 2 years*
WT 4 - 2 years*
WT 5 - 3 years**

CONTACT: Operator Certification Assistance Line at (317) 308-3307

* 1 year experience may be substituted by education at the college level in an area related to drinking water.

** 2 years experience may be substituted by education at the college level in an area related to drinking water

WATER SUPPLY CLASSIFICATIONS

Class DSS – Distribution System serving population fewer than 3,300
Class DSM – Distribution System serving population of 3,301- 10,000
Class DSL – Distribution System serving a population of 10,001 or more
Class WT 1 – Groundwater plants with less than 500 people; filters or softeners, no chemical treatment
Class WT 2 – Groundwater plants with only chemical treatment regardless of population served
Class WT 3 – Groundwater plants with chemical treatment and filtration
Class WT 4 – Surface water plants serving fewer than 10,000 people
Class WT 5 – Surface water plants serving over 10,000 people

There is also an exam scheduled for November 14, 2003
to be held at five locations around the State